## S. 989

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 29 (legislative day, June 19), 1995

Mrs. Kassebaum (for herself, Mr. Coats, Mr. Gorton, and Mr. Hatch) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources

## A BILL

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  - 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
  - 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
  - 3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**
  - 4 This Act may be cited as the "Fairness in Federal
  - 5 Contracting Act of 1995".
  - 6 SEC. 2. FINDINGS AND PURPOSES.
  - 7 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—
  - 8 (1) it is the role of Congress, as the representa-
  - 9 tive body of the people, to decide the policy of the

- 1 United States with respect to relations between
- 2 management and labor; and
- 3 (2) the executive branch should not use the
- 4 Federal procurement process to initiate major
- 5 changes in the labor-management relations of the
- 6 United States.
- 7 (b) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this Act is to ensure
- 8 that the Congress decides important labor-management
- 9 relations policy by prohibiting the executive branch from
- 10 spending any appropriated funds for the purpose of imple-
- 11 menting an executive order that would debar or in any
- 12 way limit the right of Federal contractors under common
- 13 law to use permanent replacements for lawfully striking
- 14 employees.

## 15 SEC. 3. LIMIT ON APPROPRIATED FUNDS.

- None of the funds made available under any appro-
- 17 priations Act for fiscal year 1995 may be used to issue,
- 18 implement, administer, or enforce any executive order, or
- 19 other rule, regulation, or order, that limits, restricts, or
- 20 otherwise affects the ability of any existing or potential
- 21 Federal contractor, subcontractor, or vendor to hire per-
- 22 manent replacements for lawfully striking employees.

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